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Anthony J. Scirica
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Wesleyan U 1962 BA; Michigan 1965 JD
Began Service: September 11, 1987
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Affiliation: Member, Chambers of Member Anthony J. Scirica, Judicial Conference of the United States; Chief Judge, Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation; Trustee, Board of Trustees, Temple University

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (1967-1969); State Representative Anthony J. Scirica (R-PA), Pennsylvania House of Representatives (1971-1979)

Judicial: Judge, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, Montgomery County (1980-1984); District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Eastern Pennsylvania (1984-1987)

Legal Practice: Associate, Scirica & McGrory (1966-1970); Partner, McGrory, Scirica, Wentz & Fernandez (1970-1979)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Montgomery Bar Association (PA); Pennsylvania Bar Association

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Dolores K. Sloviter
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1932
Education: Temple 1953 AB; Pennsylvania 1956 LLB
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Professor of Law, Temple University (1972-1979)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Dilworth, Paxson, Kalish, Kohn & Levy (1956-1969); Member, Harold E. Kohn, PA (1969-1972)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Pennsylvania Women's Forum; Philadelphia Bar Association

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Theodore A. McKee
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: SUNY (Cortland) 1969 BA; Syracuse 1975 JD
Began Service: June 20, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Director, Minority Recruitment and Admissions, SUNY at Binghamton (1969-1972); Lecturer, Rutgers University College of Law (1980-1991)

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Pennsylvania - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1977-1980); Deputy City Solicitor, Law Department, City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1980-1983); General Counsel, Philadelphia Parking Authority, City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1983)

Judicial: Judge, First Judicial District of Pennsylvania (1984-1994)

Legal Practice: Associate, Wolf, Block, Schorr & Solis-Cohen (1975-1977)

Current Memberships: Barristers' Association of Philadelphia; National Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association; Philadelphia Bar Association

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Marjorie O. Rendell
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Pennsylvania 1969 BA; Villanova 1973 JD
Began Service: November 21, 1997
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (1994-1997); Chair, US Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Bankruptcy System; Member, Third Circuit Judicial Council Executive Committee

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Duane, Morris & Heckscher (1973-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; The J. Willard O'Brien Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Dwight D. Opperman Institute of Judicial Administration, New York University

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Maryanne Trump Barry
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1937
Education: Mount Holyoke 1958 BA; Columbia 1961 MA; Hofstra 1974 JD
Began Service: September 13, 1999
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: United States Attorney, District of New Jersey, United States Department of Justice (1974-1983)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1983-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey; New Jersey State Bar Association; The New York State Bar Association

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Thomas L. Ambro
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Georgetown 1971 BA, 1975 JD
Began Service: June 19, 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Daniel L. Herrmann, Delaware Supreme Court (1975-1976)

Legal Practice: Richards, Layton & Finger, PA (1976-2000)

Current Memberships: Litigation Section, American Bar Association; Section of Business Law, American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; American College of Commercial Finance Lawyers, Inc

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Julio M. Fuentes
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Southern Illinois 1971 BA; NYU 1972 MA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1975 JD; Rutgers 1993 MA
Began Service: May 15, 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Municipal Judge (part time), Newark Municipal Court (1978-1981); Judge, Newark Municipal Court (1981-1987); Judge, New Jersey Superior Court (1987-2000)

Legal Practice: Associate, Miller, Hochman, Meyerson & Schaeffer (1975-1977); Partner, Fuentes, Plant & Velazquez (1977-1981)

Military Service: First Lieutenant, United States Army (1966-1969); United States Army Reserve (1969-1972)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Essex County Bar Association; National Hispanic Bar Association; New Jersey Hispanic Bar Association; New Jersey State Bar Association

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